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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 212119

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS:PGOV, CY, TU, UN

SUBJECT: UN CONFERENCE ON THE STANDARDIZATION OF GEO-  
GRAPHICAL NAMES

REF: ATHENS 8180, STATE 211624

1. OUR PREVIOUS DISLIKE OF THE RESOLUTION AS INAPPROPRIATE  
IN AN ESSENTIALLY TECHNICAL CONFERENCE HAS BEEN STRENGTHENED  
BY SEEING THE TEXT IN ATHENS 8112. IT IS CLEARLY UN-  
ACCEPTABLE ON ITS OWN MERIT.

2. NONETHELESS, IT REMAINS OUR HOPE THAT RESOLUTION BE  
SIDETRACKED EITHER BEFORE SUBMISSION TO COMMITTEE I OR IN  
THE DELIBERATIONS OF THAT COMMITTEE. THEREFORE, US DELE-  
GATION SHOULD WORK BEHIND THE SCENES WITH OTHER SIMILARLY-  
MINDED DELEGATIONS TO ACHIEVE THIS END. STATE 211624 DID  
NOT INSTRUCT US DELEGATION TO TAKE LEAD IN EFFORTS TO  
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SCUTTLE RESOLUTION. RATHER, IT WAS MEANT TO ENCOURAGE US  
DELEGATION TO COOPERATE WITH OTHER DELEGATIONS AS SOON AS  
POSSIBLE IN WHAT APPEARED TO BE,BASED ON PREVIOUS REPORTING,  
A DEVELOPING CONSENSUS.

3. IF IN FINAL ANALYSIS WE WOULD BE ALONE AMONG WESTERN  
FR-ENDLIES IN VOTING AGAINST, USDEL IS AUTHORIZED TO

ABSTAIN. HOWEVER, IF OTHERS AMONG THEM INTEND TO VOTE  
AGAINST, USDEL SHOULD ALSO DO SO. CHRISTOPHER

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